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OF ATTORNEY IN ORIGINAL APPLICATION**

As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that:

My residence, post office address and citizenship are stated below next to my name; and that

I believe I am the original, first and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or an original, first and joint inventor (if plural names are listed below) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled:

**TITLE: ENERGY-RICH FEED FLAKES FOR FISH AND INVERTEBRATES, AS WELL AS
PROCESS FOR THE PRODUCTION**

the specification of which

is attached hereto, or,
 was filed on December 3, 2001 as United States
(MM/DD/YY)

Application Number 10/009,408 or PCT International Application No.
PCT/EP00/04847 and was amended on _____ (if applicable).
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I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to patentability as defined in 37 C.F.R. § 1.56.

I hereby claim foreign priority benefits under 35 U.S.C. § 119 (a)-(d) or § 365(b) of any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate, or § 365(a) of any PCT International application which designated at least one country other than the United States listed below and have also identified below, by checking the box, any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate, or PCT International application having a filing date prior to that of the application on which priority is claimed.

Prior Foreign Application(s) (if any):

Number	Country	Filing Date	Priority Not Claimed
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I hereby claim the benefit under 35 U.S.C. § 119(e) of any United States provisional application(s) listed below:

Application No.	Filing Date
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to patentability as defined in 37 C.F.R. § 1.56 which become available between the filing date of the prior application and the national or PCT international filing date of this application:

Application No.	Filing Date	Status (Patented) Pending, Abandoned)
<u>None</u>		

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I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true, and further, that these statements were made with knowledge that willful false statements and the like are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 1001 and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issued thereon.

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Meine Frage nach einer Vorbefassung im Sinne von § 3 Abs. 1 Nr. 7 BeurkG wurde von den Genannten verneint.

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